THE GAZETTE.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 17, 1858 SMITHSONIAN LECTURES.

On Monday evening Dr. Wyone delivered his second lecture on the "Effect of Occupation on Health." He said but few persons paid attention to this subject, and therefore occupations are not generally chosen with reference to their effect on the duration of life; yet this would seem to be the most important matter for consideration. He illustrated from the "mortality returns" of Massachusetts, the great difference in the average length of life of workmen in the various branches of industry. These tables show a vast difference in favor of agricultural pursuits, and yet, said the lecturer, how fre- 1 quently do we find it the case that agriculturists leave their homes and move to the ci-

ties in order to gain wealth more rapidly. The lecturer went on to show, by referring to the tables, that it is a demonstrable fact | Certificates of packag's 26 whole tickets \$150 00 that all confined occupations subject those who follow them to a shorter existence than such as require exposure to the open air .-This was accounted for by philosophical reacalled to the circumstance that the severity of the labor contributes but slightly if at all, towards this result. Thus laboring men, though greatly exposed, and often destitute of the comforts, and sometimes necessities of life, have an average existence of upwards of forty-four years; while clerks, who are not subjected to severe foil, and are generally in the enjoyment of the comforts of life, have only an average existence of about twenty- Tickets \$ '0; hl'vs. \$10; qu'rs. \$5; eighths \$2.50. three years.

The causes of diseases to which persons employed in the several occupations are incident were next noticed, and the lecturer seemed to think that some of these spring rather from imprudence than any necessity consequent upon the avocation pursued, while the majority of them, however, arise from causes as yet supposed to be beyond the control of the sufferers. Thus the farmer is subject to billious disorders, because of his exposure to the exhalation of deleterious gases from decaying vegetable matter. The attention of the audience was here called to the fact that the exhalations of decaying animal matter, although offensive to the sense SWAN & CO., Managers of the SPARTA ACADof smell, are not as derogatory to health as EMY LOTTERY, in each of their Single Number is generally believed. To establish this as- Lotteries for February, 1858, at Augusta, Ga., sertion, he cited the case of workmen in glue in public, under the superintendence of Comfactories, and in establishments for making missioners. bone dust. These people are generally healthy and fleshy; and, the speaker said, there is a nutritious quality about the gases from these substances which produces corpulency and contributes to health. The same is also true of butchers, and all others employed where animal matter is exposed to the action of the atmosphere.

To explain more fully the character of discases to which residents of cities and agriculturists are severally liable, the lecturer had recourse to the following tabular statement, showing the number of deaths within a year among the mechanical classes in New York city and of agriculturalists in the several counties of that State nearest the city, of specific diseases, viz:

	Agriculturalists.	
Cholera	1,615	2,349
Endemic Fever		606
Yellow do.		133
Consumption		2,700
Pneumonia	1,334	361
Old Age		334
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the enumeration, Dr. W. said that the returns 5,485 Prizes amounting to\$320,000 for consumption show about an equal liability Whole Tickets \$10; Halves \$5; Quarters \$2.50. to that disease among both classifications -The mechanical classes have the consolation, from this showing, of being almost entirely ex- with those Numbers on the Tickets printed on empt from liability to death from old age .- | separate slips of paper, are encircled with small Washington Star.

COL. A. K. McCLUNG-HIS SUICIDE. There is not, we presume, a single man in the South who has not heard of Col. Mc is drawn from the wheel of Numbers, and at the Clung. We picked up an exchange this same time a Prize is drawn from the other morning and found the following Ode to wheel. The Number and Prize drawn out are Death by this great man, which is certainly opened and exhibited to the audience, and registhe most noble chaunt of a manly sorrow - | tered by the Commissioners, the Prize being Col. McClung was known as a duellist, having killed as many as four men, we believe, in duels. Notwithstanding his chivalry and intrepidity, he was gentle as a child. With the ferocity of a tiger, he combined the generosity of the lion; with the daring of an engle, he united all that is great in man .-He walked the earth like a Titan, but left He were a noble heart, full of tender generos-

McClung had genius of the first orderwas bonored, loved and almost worshipped by a host of friends. Wearied of life, disappointed and satiated, he wooed the embraces lantry on the battle field at Monterey is be entitled to \$20. If the Number ends with No. hut death came not to his relief. At Buena in 2 will be entitled to \$20, and so on to 0. Vista he was carried on a litter to the battle field and exposed his life again-but Death still cluded him and refused to recognize his earnest votary. Despairing of finding death on the battle field be returned to Mississippi and lived until life became a burden to him, and then committed suicide by blowing out

bis own brains. A few months before his death he wrote the following lines, overflowing with vocal and rythmetical liquidity. It is the melody of despair—the last lay of the minstrel. As bas already been remarked by our friend Posey, the swan, under the instinctive presentiment of death, sings its own dirge, and the vigor of death lends inspiration and and State. sweetness to its song. Like the dying Swan, poor dying McClung sung his own sweet and payable in full without deduction. beautiful invocation.

Swiftly speed o'er the waves of time, Spirit of Death! In machood's morn, in youthful prime, I woo thy breath! For the fading hues of hope have fled Like the dolphin's light, And dark are the clouds above my head As the starless night!

Oh! vainly the voyager sings for the rest Of the peaceful haven-The pilgrim saint for the homes of the blest And the calm of Heaven! The galley-slave for the night wind's breath.

At the burning noon! But more gladly I'd spring to thy cold arms, Death come soon!

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PLAN OF THE LOTTERY. The Numbers from 1 to 50,000, corresponding

tin tubes, and placed in one wheel. The first 457 Prizes, similarly pr circled, are placed in another wheel

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500 reams Wrapping and Tea paper. Folleby D. & S. BLACKLOCK, Blacklock's Whart HHDS. PORTO RICO SUGAR

10 25 bbls. Crushed and Pulverized Sugar 35 " C. Yellow Refined Sugar 10 hhds. Muscovado Molasses 15 bbls, prime Golden Syrup 55 bags Rio Coffee Grain Pepper 100 " Shot, assorted numbers 50 boxes prime Dairy Cheese

35 " Adamantine Candles Tallow 20 " Cavendish Tobacco, low priced received, and for sale by

McVEIGH & CHAMBERLAIN, IQUORS .- 150 bbls Rectified Whiskey 75 bbls. Old Rye Whiskey
25 " Cincinnati pure Rye Whiskey New England Rum

Apple Brandy Domestic Brandy " Gin; 10 do Bourbon Whiskey 2 pipes Holland Gin 2 do. Jamaica Spirits, (old.) 10 barrels Peach Brandy; 50 å casks Cherry Brandy; 10 bbls.

attention of the trade is invited. F. A. MARBURY, MLOUR, BACON, LARD, AND BUTTER, FOR SALE-400 bbls. Extra and Family Flour

100 " Super Flour 2000 lbs Bacon, hog round 8 bbis Roll Butter, 20 firkins Butter 20 firkins Lard; 800 dozen Eggs, in store, S. HARTLEY & SON. and for sale by

teb 4 MSH,-50 bbls. No. 3 Mackerel 11 half bbls. No. 3, large, do 112 bbls. Round Herrings 200 " Cut 65 " Gross

200 " Alewives " Trout boxes Hake 5 half boxes Hake, daily expected, and

TRESH SUPPLY .-10 hhds, new crop New Orleans Sugar hhds Muscova 25 bags prime Rio Coffee

10 boxes Cavendish Tobacco, just received, MCVEIGH & CHAMBERLAIN, Prince-street Wharf TARRIS'S TOPACCO.—The undersigned HARRISS TO Account of very choice have just received a lot of very choice TOBACCO, consisting in part of the following

brands, and to which they call the attention of the trade-24 kegs "Luxury of the People" 12 "Apricot" 24 Caddy boxes "People's Favourite," § th

" "Game Cock" KNOX & BRO] AVING purchased the entire interest of JAMES ROACH, in the late firm of ASHINGTON & CO., I will continue the GROCERY, LIQUOR and COMMISSION BU SINESS, at the old stand, No. 11, North Union street, under the name and style of WASHINGral patronage extended to the late firm, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. GEO. WASHINGTON.

7 E are new receiving the following LI-QUORS, which we offer for sale low, viz 25 bbis. Rectified Whiskey 18 " Pure Old Monongahela 20 cases "Old Wheat Whiskey" 25 baskets Champagne Wine. Together with Wines, Brandies, Gin, &c., of all qualities.

POWELL & CO. S. GWIN & SON, GENERAL COM-MISSION, GROCERS AND FORWARD. ING MERCHANTS will devote strict attention to the sale of FLOUR, WHEAT, CORN, and all kinds of Country Produce-to the purchase of Guano, Plaster, &c., and to every thing pertaining to our line of business, No. 6 Union street, aug 14-1f

TEAS -Sup. G. P., Imperial, and Black Teas, for sale by
J. N. HARPER & CO. 100 BUSHELS prime new crop Clover Seed, in store and for sale by MARSHALL & WARD teb 11 I OLASSES.-New Crop New Orleans Mo-OLASSES.—New Crop New Orleans lasses, just received and for sale by

7()() LBS. superior Buckwheat FLOUR, in store, and for sale by jan 1 FORD & WICKLIFFF.

10 BAGS Old White Rio Coffee, just received, and for sale by 1eb 12 MARSHALL & WARD. AMS.—Sugar Cured Hams and Shoulders, in store and for sale by JOHN A. DIXON.

10FFFE.-Old Java, Laguira, Rio, and Burnt Coffee, in store, and for sale by JOHN A. DIXON. SALT. -200 sacks Fine Salt; 200 do. G. A. Salt, for sale by J. N. HARPER & CO.

of sale by MARSHALL & WARD. feb 12 HHDS. PRIME N. O SUGAR, New crop, just received and for sal- by feb 12 MARSHALL & WARD.

TIERCES PRIME RICE, just received and

200 SACKS Fine Salt; 100 do. G. A. Salt, for sale by feb 11 KINCHELOE & BRUIN. BUSHELS CLOVER SEED, a prime ampor machinery for which the Oil is wanted article, just received, and for sale by ROBINSON & PAYNE.

stock, consisting of White and Red Ash Antracite of the different sizes, Cumberland Lump,

BUTTER.—Prime Goshen Butter, for sale by thracite of the different sizes, Cumberland Lump, J. N. HARPER & CO. FAMILY FLOUR, for sale by

WILLIAM D. MASSEY, MERCHANT TAILOR, would respectfully call the attention of the public, to his stock of GOODS, suitable for Gentlemen's wear, consisting of Black, Blue, Brewn, and Olive FRENCH CLOTHS. Scotch CASSIMERES, of every shade and style; Velvet, Silk, Satin, Cashmere, and Embroidered VEST PATTERNS, of the latest style and best material; also, READY-MADE CLOTHING, AND FURNISHING GOODS, such as Frock, Dress, Business, Over, and Raglan COATS; Plain and Fancy Cassimere PANTALOONS. Velvet, Cashmere, Cloth, Satin, Silk, and Varona VESTS; fine Dress Shirts and Collars; Undershirts and Drawers; Silk and Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs; Gloves; Cravats; Suspenders, and Half Hose, with many other articles which must be seen to be appreciated. All articles of dress made to order, and warranted to give satistaction. Thankful for the patronage heretofore received, a continuance of the same is soli-

CLOTHING.

CARAND OPENING OF GENTLEMEN'S T FURNISHING GOODS .- The subscriber dattering prospects of future usefulness. The takes pleasure in informing his friends and the public generally, that he has received, and is caution and a rigid system of economy, they now opening his Fall and Winter stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VELVET AND for cheapness and safety, not surpassed by any SILK VESTINGS; also, a general and varied assortment of GENTLEMEN'S FURNISH-ING GOODS, all of which have been purchased determined by three disinterested arbitrators of upon the b st terms. As I am determined to the County where such loss happened to be mukeep a stock of first class goods, I invite gen- tually chosen by the insured and the Company tlemen to call and examine before they make their purchases, as I am sure I can please both as to price and style. I name in part, Cloths, all shades; Black and Fancy Cassimeres. Velvet Vesting, of the latest styles; Black and Fancy Silk do : Merino Shirts and Drawers; Silk do ; latest style; Neck Ties and Scarfs; new style Byron Collars: Dress Shirts, of very superior quality: Fancy do.; English Gaiters; Suspenders; plain and fancy Socks; Gloves, every variety; together with many other articles not necessary to name in this list GARMENTS made up in best style and warranted. A. S. ROBINSON, Merchant Tailor.

No. 102 King-st., oppo. Exchange Block sep 28-dit

THE VERY LATEST, AND HIGHLY IM-PORTANT.-The public of this city, and country adjoining, will be pleased at the new progress of the well-known and long established CLOTHING HOUSE of SCHOOLHERR & BRO. They not being contented with the Goods and Styles that have been furnished as heretofore, have introduced in their new and just arrived GOODS, the very latest styles and materials of foreign Goods. It will be really gratifying to their numerous customers and trade generally, to have such a market at the door, Blackberry Brandy; 10 do. Ginger Brandy; 20 where they can have the privilege of purchasdo. Peppermint and Cinnamon Cordials, with ing a suit of Clothes of every style the country, Stout, Ale, Porter, Demijohns, &c., to which the mind, and purse can furnish. One of the firm being constantly on hand attending to the wishes of the purchasers, while the other of the same firm pays his whole attention to the buying and manufacturing of the goods in the city of New York. The goods imported and bought by this firm are all of them from first hands, and manufactured by the very best workmen the world can produce, and adapted to suit ever consumer. It is unnecessary to say any more about this

establishment, their intention is to please their customers. Their stock of GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS is complete in all its branches. Thankful for past patronage, they invite one and all to give them a call at their Old Stand, No. 108 King street, Three doors below the Marshall House, Alexandria, Va. sep 14-tf SCHOOLHERR & BRO.

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10 bbls. new crop New Orleans Molasses READY-MADE CLOTHING, Stocks, Cravats, WORK, both as to material and workmanship. Shirts, Drawers, Suspenders, Gloves, Hosiery, and warranted to please. A call is respectfully &c., which he will sell on the most reasonable solicited at the SHOE STORE of terms. The very liberal patronage he has re- jan 7 CROSS, LUGENBEEL & CO. ceived, induces him to return his thanks to his old friends, and to assure them that he is determined to use every facility in his power, to sustain the reputation he has acquired, of keeping a first class Merchant Tailoring Establishment. He is still at the old stand, No. 67, King street.

d Winter supply of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, it under the new. and VESTINGS, of all the various shades and styles. Furnishing Goods-Shirts-Silk, Me rino, Linen, and Cotton; Drawers-Silk, Merino, Jean, and Cotton Flannel; Gloves of various kinds; Suspenders; Cravats; Collars, and Ties of all kinds, and many other articles usually kept by them, and will be sold as cheap as the same quality of Goods can be had in any other city. No. 103 King street. sep 15

TON & CO. I return my thanks for the libeday associated themselves together, for the purpose of conducting the business of MERCHANT TAILORING, under he name and style of ROBINSON & KEYS, Thankful for past tayors, they hope by unremitting attention to business, to merit a

continuation of the same. All orders in their line of business will be thankfully received, and promptly attended to. Let All persons indekted to either of them. will please call and settle the same. RICHARD W. ROBINSON,

UPERIOR BLACK CLOTH FROCK COATS, worth twenty dollars, for fifteen Superior BLACK CLOTH FROCK COATS, worth twenty-five dollars, for twenty dollars Fine WHITE SHIRTS, with Marseilles bo soms, collars, and wristbands. Also, Gentle-

men's GAITERS—for sale by nov 6 WM. D. MASSEY. particulars we would refer to advertisement in and Retail. [oct 1] No. 80 King street "American Farmer," or Circulars descriptive of the Corn, with certificates of those who have cultivated it, and notices from the press will be mailed gratis, to all that request it Price \$1 50 per quart, for sale in lots to suit purchasers, by ADDISON, WALLACE & CO. N. B. On hand and for sale, a supply of the "CHINESE" SUGAR CANE SEED, warranted genuive-the Seed of which was obtained

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200 BUSHFLS FRESH ORCHARD GRASS SEED, just received, and for DRAYTON G. MEADE,

100 CORN SHELLERS, various patterns on hand, and for sale by dec 5 ADDISON, WALLACE & CO. BUSHELS PRIME CLOVER SEED, () on hand, and for sale by

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small premium note, the insured saves nearly

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BOOTS AND SHOES. LEXANDRIA, VA., JANUARY 18T, 1857 -A RICHARD T. CROSS has this day asso rated with him in business, JOHN W. LUCEN BEEL and HENRY C. FIELD, for the put has just opened a fine assortment of under the firm name and style of CROSS

naving tried the credit system, and found that it will not pay, has concluded to adopt the CASH principle. In future and from this date he will continue to do business upon the above principle. In bidding adieu to the old system, he would return his thanks to his customers to W & A. MURRAY. MERCHANT TAIpast favors, and hopes by strict attention and
such inducements as he may offer, to continue

JOHN L. SMITH HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, &c.

TO 79-PHENIX HALL HAT AN CAP ESTABLISHMENT - JOHN AR NOLD having removed to his new store in the above building, would solicit a call from the public to examine his selection of the most per fect articles of the London, Paris, and New York Fall styles, composing the greatest variety of HATS AND CAPS ever offered in this man ket-remember also that this stock being direct f. om the manufactories can be sold as cheap as in any retail establishment North. particularly invited to ARNOLD'S NEW STYLE OF PATENT MOLESKIN FLASTIC HATS, which comprise every variety of texture and elegance, and have only to be seen to be appreciated.

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The most beautiful assortment of CHIL DREN'S AND INFANT'S FANCY HATS AND CAPS. But the greatest curiosity is the remarkable cheapness of all articles sold by JOHN ABNOLD oct 6-tf

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600.000 FEET assorted White Pine 250,000 feet Spruce Joist and Scantling 100,000 feet assorted Georgia Pine Timbel

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100,000 " South Carolina Flooring, Al exandria dressed 400,000 Eastern Laths, just laid in. and for BUSHFLS FRESH ORCHARD sale by WATERS, ZIMMERMAN & CO. UMBER, COAL, AND WOOD YARD! A Corner of Union and Queen streets. North -

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